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TIE PASS IS GAINED BY CZAR'S TROOPS

Kuropatkin Battles With
Foe Twenty-five Miles
From Refuge.

WOUNDED LEFT BEHIND

Losses in Mukden Estimated
At 184,000 On Both
Sides.

The dispatches received at St. Petersburg indicate that Gen. Kuropatkin has saved himself from the trap set for him by Field Marshal Oyama. According to these dispatches he is falling back slowly with the main portion of his forces intact, and fighting a rear guard action. On Saturday afternoon he was twenty-five miles from Tie Pass. A part of his forces have already reached Tie Pass, but whether any of the units of his army were cut off or captured is not definitely known. The press dispatches say that the Japanese separated the First and Fourth Russian corps and the inference is that they either were killed or captured, as the censor allowed no further reference to their fate. The losses have been enormous on both sides and are roughly estimated at 200,000. An unofficial report from St. Petersburg says Kuropatkin has lost 60,000 prisoners. The confidence of the Japanese is indicated in a statement by Field Marshal Oyama that his forces will pursue the Russian's to Harbin. An element of possible danger to Kuropatkin is the army of Gen. Kawamura, which is supposed to be somewhere on the line of his retreat to the north. Its location, however, is not definitely known.

Battle at Mukden.

Latest estimates as to the number of men engaged in the battle of Mukden give Oyama 450,000 and Kuropatkin 315,000. In regard to the force in command of the various generals, the following is believed to be approximately correct:

Japanese.....	Russian.....
Nogi.....60,000	Kaulbars.....80,000
Oku.....125,000	Bilderling.....75,000
Nodzu.....130,000	Linievitch.....100,000
Kuroki.....110,000	Rennenkampf.....60,000

The generals named, in the alignment, opposed one another, but Bilderling's command practically was the rear guard of Kaulbars' forces.

Dispatches indicate a material increase in the losses, as the fighting continues, the Russians being the greater sufferers. The casualties are now figured at,

Japanese.....50,000

Russians.....55,000

Prisoners taken by Japanese.....50,000

The munitions and supplies captured by Marshal Oyama's forces are valued at millions of dollars.

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Atlanta, Knoxville and Northern Under New Ownership.

The Atlanta, Knoxville and Northern railroad, running from Knoxville to Marietta, Ga., formally passed into the hands of the Louisville and Nashville railroad company Saturday. It will be a part of the Cincinnati-Knoxville line to Atlanta.

Judge Bloomfield.

Paducah, Ky., March 11.--Judge J. W. Bloomfield, one of the oldest and most prominent jurists in the state, is in a dying condition at his home in Paducah. He has been in feeble health for many months, but had been bedridden but a few weeks.

ENGINEERS ARE SURVEYING A NEW LINE

Hopkinsville May Be Left
High and Dry a Mile
From Depot.

WORK TO BEGIN SOON.

Corps Of Surveyors Now
Here to Decide a Great
Question.

All the large hills on the Henderson division of the L. & N. railroad from Empire, this county, to the Tennessee line at Guthrie, will be cut down for the purpose of facilitating traffic, both freight and passenger. A corps of engineers arrived Saturday and will operate from this city on the 41 miles to be affected. This work has been under consideration for several years and two years ago preliminary surveys were made, about which the Kentuckian gave a report at the time. There are two plans, one involving a change of the roadbed at this city and at Crofton, to escape hills, and the other requiring the grades to be lowered and heavy cuts made. The engineers here are to decide definitely and first of all what will be done at this place. A new survey was made two miles east of town, which if adopted would leave Hopkinsville some distance from the depot. This matter is the real cause for delay in the construction of a new freight depot on the old site on Ninth street. A similar detour would be made at Crofton if the line is changed here, but unless both changes are made it is not likely that either will be. The other plan of lowering the existing grades would involve much cutting and call for changing many grade crossings.

The trains from the South would enter the city in a very deep cut, much deeper than the one now existing, which is deep enough to hide the trains. The crossing at Walnut street would run over the railroad tracks.

The contract has already been let for the construction of the line from Guthrie, Ky., to Greenbrier, Tenn., a distance of twenty-five miles, to J. E. Dodges and E. A. Wilson, Knoxville. The rebuilding of this portion of the road is for the purpose of cutting down grades. The contract includes the construction of new bridges across Red River and Sulphur Fork. About one year's time will be required to complete the work, which will be expensive and in some places of a difficult nature.

There will be a considerable cut to make between here and Guthrie, near Trenton. The survey now going on here will be awaited with keen interest, as it will decide the question of much importance to Hopkinsville and Crofton, whether the depot is to be in town or a mile or two away. Hopkinsville had a contract regarding the location of the depot in 1868 when the road was built and a violation of this contract would make the removal of the depot to a point outside the city a very expensive matter to the railroad. In fact the proposition to move the line has not been taken seriously, but in a matter involving hundreds of thousands of dollars, it is not improbable that we may have our money returned to us and find ourselves, like Paducah, with a depot two miles from town. This would make a street railway system at once an absolute necessity.

The strongest factor in favor of a depot close to the city's business is that the L. & N. people are right in town and the L. & N. would necessarily lose much prestige by moving outside of the city limits and giving its rival such a decided advantage.

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WILL CONTINUE TO BITTER END SAYS THE CZAR

Nicholas Not Yet Ready to Consider Terms For Peace.

NAVY ORDERED BACK.

Another Army Will go to the Front and a New General be Named.

St. Petersburg, Mar. 13.--The Japanese have temporarily ceased pursuit at Tie Pass.

The Russian army, demoralized and exhausted, its rear guard constantly attacked by the pursuing and never resting Japanese, is nearing Tie Pass, but it begins to look as if Kuropatkin will make no stand there. He has lost many of his guns, thousands of his rifles, tons of his ammunition and supplies, and perhaps 150,000 of his men. He admits 47,581 missing, but makes no report of his great number of wounded. The Japanese have made prisoners of 40,000 of his men, and report that 26,500 others are dead on the field. The Japanese loss is 60,000, Oyama already officially reporting 41,222. In the face of this story of carnage, the Czar announces that he will fight on. Kuropatkin is to be succeeded, a new and larger army will be raised, and Admiral Rojestvensky will be ordered to proceed against Admiral Togo. Russia's hope is to break Japan by keeping at it until the money of the island kingdom gives out.

This is the present temper of Emperor Nicholas and his dominant advisers, voiced in a firm official announcement that the position of Russia is unchanged and that the initiative for peace can only come from Japan. Should the island empire choose to tender "moderate" terms and recognize its adversary as the Power in the Far East, peace could be easily arranged, but the voice of her diplomacy in various parts of the world indicates that she is not ready to do this, and the Russian Government, with the full magnitude of the disaster at Mukden still undetermined, but with the 1905 campaign seemingly already hopelessly compromised, retreat to Harbin inevitable and Vladivostok practically lost, declares that the time has not yet come when Russia can be forced to humble herself.

Two New Army Corps.

It is reported that the dispatch of two new army corps including the

Fourteenth, from Poland, and several smaller units, has already been determined upon, and that plans for further mobilization are under discussion.

But while this is the official attitude, nothing but peace talk is heard in St. Petersburg. The difficulties of another mobilization on a large scale will be enormous; in fact, it is stated in some quarters that it will be impossible. Nevertheless it might be accomplished. The real hope, however, for anything like a successful termination of the war is admitted to rest upon the prospects of the financial exhaustion of Japan. Russian resources, it is figured, can stand the drain better than those of Japan, and a protracted campaign, it is hoped, will bring about Japan's financial ruin.

CAN'T HOLD OTHO.

Boy Breaks Jail a Second Time in Two Weeks.

Otho Armstrong, the boy who escaped from jail at Madisonville, along with other prisoners about two weeks ago, and was captured near Kelly Station and returned to prison a few days later, succeeded in breaking out again last Thursday. This was in broad open daylight, and when he was arrested he said if he was returned he would turn the whole cage of jail birds free. He was again locked up.

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DEFENDS SLAUGHTER

GRAND DUKE SAYS MASSACRE WAS NECESSARY.

In an Interview Vladimir Brants St. Petersburg Killing as Needed Precaution to Save City from the Mob.

St. Petersburg.—Grand Duke Vladimir, uncle of Emperor Nicholas and commander of the imperial guard, granted an interview to the correspondent at the duke's palace in Quay de la Cour, adjoining the winter palace. The correspondent was received in the grand duke's private study.

The duke wore a simple blue and-brown over uniform trousers. Could the wanted ceiling have been suddenly lowered and the spacious apartment contracted to the limits of a tent and the big mahogany desk converted into a camp table, the grand duke would have presented the picture of a hard working general on a field of battle. Everything about the apartment, with reports heaped up on the table before him, bespoke the man of work. The study might well be mistaken for an office of some busy American railway manager.

The grand duke is a man of perhaps 65 years, a veteran in appearance as well as in fact, for he won his spurs and the Cross of St. George 26 years ago in the plains before Plevna. He is big-framed and dark-visaged and has iron gray hair, and resembles more his brother, Alexander III, than his nephew, Emperor Nicholas. Although his face and frame show marks of recent illness, the nervous energy he displays gives the impression of a man of force and action. His stern features soften as he talks, lending to his countenance a charm suggesting the singularly gentle side to his nature which makes him beloved in his home and among his family and friends.

"You must remember," said the grand duke, "I am a grand duke, and a subject of the emperor. As such I am extremely loyal to him, and I am Russian from the crown of my head to the tip of my toes," accompanying the words with a sweeping gesture. "What information can I give you?"

"The newspapers abroad," suggested



GRAND DUKE VLADIMIR (Notable Who Defends the Slaughter in St. Petersburg)

ed the correspondent. "Have made many statements regarding the events concerning that massacre."

"I know; I have read accounts in the foreign press. I have stood aghast at the frightful stories of the butchery of innocent people which they have printed. I know they say well-intentioned patriots with a priest at their head coming peacefully to place their grievances before his majesty were ruthlessly shot down in the streets; but we know that behind this peaceful procession was an anarchistic and socialistic plot of which the overwhelming majority of the workmen were merely innocent tools. We know from examination of the dead and those arrested that some alleged priests were actually revolutionary agitators and students in disguise. We had to save the city from a mob. Unfortunately, to do so innocent and guilty suffered alike. But suppose 140,000 men had reached the gates of the winter palace; they would have sacked it as the mob sacked Versailles. From the palace they would have gone elsewhere, and the whole city would have been delivered over to anarchy, riot, bloodshed and flames. Our duty was the duty of every government. The same situation has confronted cities in other countries."

"Oysters" a London Fad.

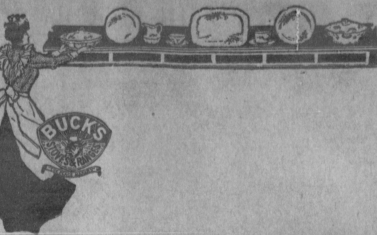
"The Oysters" is the latest society nickname, and it is given the members of the Ladies' Athenaeum club, which is ruled over by the duchess of Leeds, the duchess of Marlborough, Mrs. George West and Mrs. Craigie. They have determined to make their club the secret entertaining place of the cream of fashionable women. They complain that whenever they entertain a few friends at the Carlton or the Savoy the fact is at once made public in the newspapers, so they have decided to make the Ladies' Athenaeum club famous as a place of seclusion.

Baron von Sternburg Decorated. Emperor William has bestowed on Baron Speck von Sternburg, German ambassador to the United States, the Crown Order of the First Class, and on Mr. Joseph Schlenker, president of the German Veterans' society, of Chicago, the Crown Order of the Fourth Class.

Italian Official's Suicide. Count Hippolito Malaguzzi Valeri committed suicide in a cab at Milan. He was a keeper of state archives and author of historical works. His suicide is attributed to nervous prostration from overwork.

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THE RETURN OF THE PRODIGAL

BY GEORGE BARTLEY

"ALL, this man, deeply bronzed, any crowfoot showing athwart the tan at the corners of his eyes, his forehead white when he pushed back his soft felt hat, leaned over the rail of a small 'pleasure' steamer that made short trips between Bar Harbor and Jonesport twice and thrice a week. The man seemed somehow out of place among the storekeepers and small tradesmen, who had brought babies, bottles, and biscuits, and were having an outing. The little steamer kept close in shore after leaving the harbor, and the man looked up at the giant red cliffs, their summits crowned with crisp salt grass, as if every landmark was familiar. His hand was brown and sinewy, like himself, and the cigar he held he dropped overboard as the tiny craft came in sight of Sidbridge.

There is no pier there; the levitation craft only stops there when ordered. To get ashore the boat gently noses the wharf and passengers ignominiously 'walk the plank.'

The man looking shorewards, took out a fresh cigar, and as it would not light, he held it in his hand, looking still shorewards, and his hand—essentially the hand of a worker—trembled.

A rent in the cliff cuts Sidbridge in half.

Looking up from the sea one sees houses on either side of the fissure; a square towered stone church crowns all. As has been said, there is no pier or landing stage, and bare legged little fellows were rolling about on amber colored nets spread out to dry.

"Good God!"—and there seemed no savor of irreverence as the man spoke the words, and his keen gray eyes were moist—"not a speck of change—not a speck!"—a railway apparently, no pier, no anything, after 20 years! And I've come 12,000 miles to see you and I find you just as I left you!"

"El—ah? It's my body that has grown old, not my heart."

"Do you get off here, sir?"

"Yes, purser, and look out for me on your way back. What a quaint old place this seems to be!"

The purser laughed.

"They say of Sidbridge that no one ever dies there and no change has taken place for 50 years or more."

"Ah, it's different on my side! I'm from the other side of the world."

Herbert Seaton walked the plank, the only passenger to alight, leaving his hat and bag behind him, and, carrying his grip, he went up the main street, looking keenly from hand to hand.

The names on the few stores were familiar to him. He nodded and gave "Good day!" to an old lady sunning herself upon the doorstep, who returned his greeting with no sign of recognition.

"The old order changeth, giving place to the new. And God fulfills himself in many ways," he quoted and walked on, his grip in hand, his eyes scanning his way rather.

Behind the coast guard's cottage in a small square. You enter it from the main street by a narrow passage that looks a cut in the sea, but it opens out into a tiny quadrangle, where the sound of the sea scarcely penetrates.

The houses—all of one pattern—are lime washed and tiled, with green shutters, and the rust from the hinges has stained them almost red in patches.

And the man made his way towards one with feet that lagged. The green shutters, the hall mark of respectability, hung away, and their hinges were rusted. He turned to the next house and knocked at the door.

At the house of his quest the front door swung to and fro.

"Can you tell me where Mrs. Haygarth has moved to?"

"I have never heard the name, sir."

"Did not Mrs. Haygarth—her name was Radford before her marriage—come here to live on her wedding day?"

"Radford is a common name here, sir. There are three from Margaret Radfords in the parish now."

"But the Margaret I mean married the New York broker 30 years ago, sir. But the broker, I have heard, was killed on his wedding day."

"Give me the address of these Margaret Radfords. I've been 'clean away' for many years."

The Yankee speech slipped back to the man's tongue, and the young woman laughed, for at first the man spoke with the twang of a foreigner.

"Well," she said, the laugh still upon her lips, "there's Margaret who's gone 'clean away.' Margaret who, bides to Salcombe, and the school mistress—her what does Peak schule."

"What a bonny maid! Is that yours? There, then!"

And he put a gold piece into the ready little palm.

"Who am I to thank, sir?"

"Herbert Seaton."

And not a trace of recognition came over the woman's face.

He was as forgotten as if he'd never 'bided' New Sidbridge, and the woman he was talking to and he were sweethearts 20 years before.

So he made his way to Margaret Radford who bided near the church, and finding the announcement that apartments were to let, engaged a bedroom, and there was no grumbling about her terms, for the Australian had generosity all over him!

Then Herbert Seaton made his way up the steep path he had been told led to the 'seehulhouse.'

In his day he remembered the local cobbler kept school and turned out perhaps poor scholars, but good fishermen, and he emphasized his remarks with a strap. Seaton felt it now. Between

hedges 20 feet high, up the steep red path he made his way, and at the end stood the schoolhouse, facing the sea. He stood outside for some minutes brushing perspiration from his forehead.

It was a tiny climb, after all is said and done, but he panted painfully and drank in the air from the sea. Then he passed between the arched ranks of fuchsia and myrtle that stood on the broad window sill, and he saw a beautiful woman, of nearly his own age, who had blue, gentle eyes, and a gentle face, and an aureole of fair hair, that in beams of sunlight looked to him like a halo.

Small man and woman kind were round her knees, from tiny tots to girls of 13, and she was talking and teaching as only an angel upon earth—or a good woman, which is the same thing—can talk and teach from the book of books that lay upon her lap.

And the Australian wanted to go in, too, and kiss a pair of lips that erstwhile were his to kiss, but he stopped and listened, and the jump in his throat choked him, for he was listening to the old story of the prodigal son, and the narration seemed to move the sweet saint, and the children, who had heard it hundreds of times before, always found some fresh questions to ask.

"Sweet," was the informal address of one dark eyed boy, who seemed a favorite, "what would you do if your son came back to you like this prodigal son who ate hines?"

"Sweet never had a son. Sweet has never been married," came from an elder girl.

And the heart of the man bounded within him.

"I should welcome my prodigal dearly, of course! And the sweet woman had grown, wistful, but her eyes seemed as if they had visions of something far away.

"Would you kiss him, I wonder?" Schoolboys blushed and laughed like a young girl.

"Yes, I think I should kiss him," she said gently.

"Well, let's pretend I'm the prodigal."



And he was the man who owned the faded calves.

Seaton chuckled to himself, feeling a boy again.

Then he went for a walk, returning an hour later, to find school dismissed.

Margaret Radford felt strangely lonely when her little flock had run off shouting down the hill, and the sad little came again into her face.

And then a shadow fell across the floor, and she looked up. For a moment she did not speak; her eyes grew round, and her breath came and went in deep gasps between her parted lips.

"The prodigal son has returned, Margaret. Lord knows I have eaten husks enough down under his feet."

"You are a thousand thousand times welcome, Herbert Seaton!" And she began to sob.

He had not yet even touched her hand, but had drawn nearer.

"What did you tell little Bob Carey you would do when the prodigal returned?"

He spoke in a tone of banter to hide the deep feeling that moved him, but he held out his arms, and his love flew into them, and he raised kisses upon lip, cheek and brow.

"My love—my love!" was all he could stammer out, after a silence of 20 years.

And she, too, lay silent in his strong arms, thinking many thoughts, that shaped themselves into a prayer of thankfulness.

"Why did you ever leave me, dear one?" she asked.

"Your father told me that you were engaged to Herbert Seaton, and he was richer than I. He even showed me the house you were to live in when you married."

"And you believed him—you, Herbert, my lost love? How could you—how could you? To go away without a word!"

Her eyes had filled with tears again and he took her once more to his heart—Chicago Tribune.

Like Father, Like Son.

"Are fables the same as fiction?" asked the innocent child.

"Fables are fictitious narratives intended to instruct," replied the papa, rather pompously, for he was proud of his learning.

"Say, dad," said the child, getting suddenly confidential and chummy, "us men folks have to be pretty quick with our fables sometimes, don't we?"—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

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NO. 338—DAILY.

Leave Hopkinsville	6:40 a m
Arrive Princeton	7:20 a m
Paducah	9:25 a m
" Cairo	11:35 a m
" St. Louis	6:10 p m
" Chicago	10:50 p m

NO. 334—DAILY.

Leave Hopkinsville	11:30 a m
Arrive Princeton	12:25 p m
" Henderson	6:00 p m
" Evansville	6:25 p m
Leave Princeton	12:39 p m
Arrive Louisville	5:35 p m
Leave Princeton	2:35 p m
Arrive Paducah	4:15 p m
" Memphis	10:50 p m
" New Orleans	10:00 a m

NO. 340—DAILY.

Leave Hopkinsville	4:30 p m
Arrive Princeton	6:30 p m
Leave Princeton	2:57 a m
" Louisville	7:50 a m
" Princeton	2:35 a m
Arrive Memphis	8:20 a m
" New Orleans	7:55 p m

NO. 341, Daily, arrives 9:40 a m
NO. 333, Daily, arrives 3:50 p m
NO. 351, Daily, arrives 11:25 p m

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The Weather.

Washington, D. C. March 13.—For Kentucky—Generally fair and moderately cool Tuesday.

The Senate is expected to ratify the Santo Domingo treaty Friday.

Oyama is sixty years old and Oser will probably be willing to make an exception in his case.

The Nevada Legislature has modified the bill regulating gambling, and the "lid will be off" hereafter in that state.

The body of Senator W. B. Bate, of Tennessee, who died last week, was interred at Nashville yesterday afternoon, after lying in state in the capitol.

The first fatality of the baseball season is reported from Huntsville, Ala. Overcome by the sun in a baseball game Friday, John Hilton, a well-known young man of East Huntsville, died the next day.

In Chicago last week 26 divorces were granted and 29 new suits were filed. A part of this trouble is said to be due to the many early marriages. In two years there have been 301 girls under 18 years old married in Chicago.

The mine operators of Western Kentucky met in Louisville last night preparatory to the conference with the miners regarding the wage scale for next year. It is probable that they will reject the demand made by the miners for the 1903 scale, but that an amicable agreement will be reached.

The Legislature of Tennessee, still in session, will fill the senatorial vacancy before adjournment. At present it seems to be Gov. Frazier against the field. Friends of former Govs. Benton McMillin and Robert L. Taylor are advising them not to contest the election to the vacancy with Frazier, but they have not signified any intention of staying out of a contest.

Kuropatkin's retreat to Tie Pass, forty miles to the north, was a defeat of course but the movement seems to have been made in an orderly manner. The story of a panic-stricken flight sent out from Tokio was not borne out by the facts. Kuropatkin himself remained behind with the rear guard, which is greatly to his credit, however severely he may be criticised for allowing himself to be out-generated.

The Senate committee is so slow about making a report on the appointment of the negro lawyer Anderson to the collectorship in New York that there is talk of a "hold-up" in his case. The New York Senators, while not pleased, are acquiescent, but certain Western members are said to be stirring up opposition to his confirmation. "The negro is known as the 'Colored Demagogue.'" He is a light mulatto.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of P. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid; and that the said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

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It's a sign that the blood is deficient in vitality, just as pimples and other eruptions are signs that the blood is impure.

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Remove it, give new life, new courage, strength and animation.
They cleanse the blood and clear the complexion.

Accept no substitute.
"I felt tired all the time and could not sleep. After taking Hood's Sarsaparilla while I could sleep well and the tired feeling had gone. This great medicine has also cured me of eczema." Mas. C. M. Root, Glend, Conn.
Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

The Calloway County Committee Saturday removed L. A. L. Langston as chairman by a vote of 5 to 3 and elected Jas. H. Coleman in his stead, upon the ground that Langston is a candidate for office and ineligible. This action has an important bearing on the approaching senatorial race and has been followed by the announcement that Conn. Linn will be Calloway's candidate for Senator. A Murray dispatch says:

"Mr. Linn is a warm supporter of Senator Blackburn and will be a strong factor in the race, and his friends here think that he can win the nomination.

Calloway county claims the right to name a successor to Senator Gilbert, as he had not served out his time.
A senatorial convention will be called within the next few weeks to meet at Murray, and there will be several candidates in the race.

The Third senatorial district is composed of Calloway, Livingston, Lyon and Trigg counties."

NEW FACTORY ORGANIZED FOR BUSINESS.

Stockholders Meet and Elect a Directory Next Saturday.

CAPITAL, \$15,000.

Committee Appointed to Look After Building Preparations at Once.

Stockholders of the Hopkinsville Canning Company met at Moayan's Hall Saturday and organized for the canning factory. The company was organized with \$15,000 and the following directors elected:

W. T. Fowler, T. W. Blakey, W. T. Williamson, Ward Claggett and W. R. Brumfield.

A building committee to inspect the machinery, building, etc., was appointed as follows: W. T. Fowler, W. R. Brumfield, W. T. Williamson, John J. Metcalfe and James West.
Articles of incorporation will be filed as soon as possible and a general manager will be chosen as soon as the company is on a legal basis. Judge W. T. Fowler will probably be President of the company. Many farmers have already agreed to grow fruits and vegetables for the factory.

TIPPED HIS TOE

And Fell Down Long Flights of Steps.

Mr. Walton Bryan is confined to his room with some bad cuts and bruises about his head and face. While descending a flight of steps Saturday night he tipped his toe and fell a distance of ten or fifteen feet. Dr. Woodward was called and gave prompt medical attention and Mr. Bryan will be out in a few days.

Bell Moved.

The city bell was moved yesterday to the new city building on Ninth street and the clock will be transferred as soon as possible.

HARGIS GANG UP AGAINST REAL THING.

Court of Appeals Sends Them To Fayette County for Trial.

OPINION IS UNANIMOUS.

Action of Magistrate Edwards Held to be a Subterfuge and Void.

The Court of Appeals refused to grant the writ of prohibition asked for by the Hargis brothers and others to restrain Judge Watts Parker, of the Fayette Circuit Court, from assuming jurisdiction of the trial of their cases for alleged complicity in the assassination of James Cockrill at Jackson. This sends the cases to the Fayette Circuit Court for trial. The court held that the warrants issued by Magistrate Edwards at Jackson for the arrest of the accused were "procured upon their own instigation, or that of some of them acting for all, with the design not to have a trial of the charge or elsewhere, but as a cloak to prevent the trial elsewhere." The proceedings before magistrate Edwards were therefore declared void. The opinion of the court was delivered by Judge O'Rear, none of the Judges dissenting.

The Hargis brothers and Ed Callahan submitted to arrest Saturday at Jackson and were taken to Lexington yesterday. The question of bail has not been passed on yet by Judge Parker.

INTERESTING PAPER

Read by Mrs. W. Williams, of Church Hill.

The Daughters of The Confederacy met in regular meeting Saturday afternoon at Hotel Latham and the meeting was a very pleasant one. Mrs. Dr. W. Williams, of Church Hill, read a most interesting paper on the "Formation of Companies in Christian County." Mrs. C. G. Duke read a letter published in the "Parisian Ranger" describing the experience of Dr. W. Williams as a prisoner of war at Camp Douglas. The hour of meeting was changed to 3 p. m. The next meeting will be April 8.

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Physicians tell us that all the blood in a healthy human body passes through the heart once in every two minutes. If this action becomes irregular the whole body suffers. Poor health follows poor blood; Scott's Emulsion makes the blood pure. One reason why.

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BACKING ONLY LACKING

Citizens Must Do Their Part Or Franchise Will Be Sold.

The Kitty league magnates met in Paducah Sunday to complete arrangements for the season's struggle. The most important business was the selection of the schedule for the playing season.

The meeting was called by President Charles Brown and the following representatives were present: Floyd J. Biggs, Princeton, vice president; W. C. Craney, Cairo, secretary; and C. C. Goshnell, Vincennes, treasurer. W. M. Hancock, Hopkinsville; Jacob Zimbro and Wallace C. Dyer, of Henderson; Dick Powers, Guy Eichenberger, of Cairo.

All of the clubs put up their money for the season, including the League dues.

Hopkinsville, Henderson and Princeton were elected Directors. The schedule begins May 4 and ends September 12, 133 games. Hopkinsville goes to Cairo and Paducah first and the first games here will be with Henderson the second week in May.

The meeting was very pleasant and harmonious.

President Hancock was offered Dummy Hughes and \$50 for Jess Moore by Cairo, but refused the offer.

Hopkinsville is to get \$90 in cash for mileage excess at the end of the season.

The local director is to be reorganized at once as several of the old directors desire to retire. A meeting will probably be held to-night to talk over the situation.

Are You Engaged?

Engaged people should remember, that after marriage, many quarrels can be avoided, by keeping their digestions in good condition with Electric Bitters. S. A. Bennetts, of S. C., says: "For years my wife suffered intensely from dyspepsia, complicated with a torpid liver, until she lost her strength and vigor, and became a mere wreck of her former self. Then she tried Electric Bitters, which helped her at once and finally made her entirely well. She is now strong and healthy." R. C. Hardwick, druggist, sells and guarantees them at 50c a bottle.

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When advertising "The Holy City," Gordon & Bennett do not announce, "trains of cars and tons of scenery." They assume the public interest to be centered on that which is placed on the stage, its transporting necessities and weight, being of the little matter. "The play is the thing," occupied by "The Holy City" Co., the stage is first cleared of everything the house uses and the paraphernalia of the play furnishes the scenes so extraordinarily beautiful and so universally extolled. The large company seeks its hotels and no band or parade is given, the theatre is prepared without ostentatious labor, but the audience finds that night brings such demonstrations of sumptuous preparation as is rarely witnessed. "The play is the thing," quotes general manager Gordon, and his plays are the thing. The coming of "The Holy City" is eagerly anticipated. Confidence and good will champion it. This play will be presented at Holland's Opera House, Wednesday night, March 15.

Got off Cheap.

He may well think, he has got off cheap, who after getting contracted consumption or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant, and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at R. C. Hardwick's drug store; guaranteed.

RICH MAN

But Would Rather Be an Umpire Than a Spectator.

Memphis, Tenn., March 13.—Bassett being possibly the richest in financial field of all baseball umpires North, East, South or West, Frank H. Bassett, of Hopkinsville, Ky., and present appointee on President Kavanaugh's cabinet in the Southern League, is thought to be the only man in the baseball world who would rather umpire a game than witness it from the choicest position of vantage in the grand stand.

Bassett is a native Kentuckian, being reared in Louisville, catching baseball fever first on the lots of the Falls City. He has made Hopkinsville his home for 15 years, traveling for a large wholesale house, whose headquarters are elsewhere.

Recently, on the death of his father-in-law, Bassett was threatened with a call from duties in connection with managing a vast estate which would enforce his retirement from diamond dictatorship, but he announces that he will report to President Kavanaugh as per contract, and will begin the 1905 season with indicator in hand.

Bassett ruled in the Cotton States League last year, and satisfied fans in the six-club organization. He owns extensive business interests in Oklahoma City and is past Exalted Ruler of the Hopkinsville Elks Lodge. He loves to umpire, and, in fact, resigned from the management of a team where he played a managed to rule in the championship league clashes.

Bassett's associates in the Southern League this year will be W. B. Carpenter, Joe (Calliope) Burke, Daniel Pfenniger and R. W. Burke, these names being furnished as official by A. C. Miller, secretary to President Kavanaugh.

SI PLUNKARD

At the Opera House Next Thursday Night.

The original Yankee, comedy in which Mr. J. C. Lewis appears as Si Plunkard, will be at the Opera House Mar. 16. This is the twelfth annual tour of this famous play and this season the comedy has been put forward with all new features, introducing a full working threshing machine, and many other catchy novelties. Si Plunkard has been entirely re-written and re-constructed for the present season, presenting all new features and up-to-date novelties, and will be produced by a strong and efficient cast of comely artists in an entirely new and novel line of specialties. During the action of the comedy the superb orchestra, carried by the company, will render the latest overtures between each act.

GUILTY AS CHARGED

Mrs. Chadwick Faces a Long Term in Prison.

Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick was convicted at Cleveland on seven counts of conspiracy to defraud the United States by conspiring to procure the certification of checks on a national bank when there were no funds in the bank to her credit. The extreme penalty fixed by law is a fine of \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than two years on each count. The jury was but two hours in reaching a verdict. When Mrs. Chadwick grasped the meaning of it she sank into her chair. Later she had an attack of hysteria, which lasted fifteen minutes. The woman's attorney made a motion for a new trial. Judge Taylor announced that later he would set a day for argument on the motion.

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but, after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. At R. C. Hardwick's drug store, 50c and \$1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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LESE MAJESTE.

Washington Boy's Punishment for Writing a Sentence.

Reginald Hodgson, formerly of Virginia, a member of the Washington high school, was asked about two weeks ago by his teacher to illustrate the meaning of the word "lese-majeste." Hodgson promptly wrote on the blackboard: "Roosevelt de-based himself by eating with a nigger." Whereupon he was suspended from school, and a veritable tempest is raging in the District Board of Education over his re-statement. He was not allowed to parade with the high school cadets in inauguration day.

Life Guards.

The Life Guards are two regiments of cavalry forming part of the British household troops. They are gallant soldiers, and every loyal British heart is proud of them. Not only the King's household, but yours, ours, everybody's should have its life guards. The need of them is especially great when the greatest foes of life, diseases, and allies in the very elements, as colds, influenza, catarrh, the grip, and pneumonia, do in the stormy month of March. The best way that we know of to guard against these diseases is to strengthen the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla—the greatest of life guards. It removes the conditions in which these diseases make their most successful attack, gives vigor and tone to all the vital organs and functions, and imparts a genial warmth to the blood. Remember, the weaker the system the greater the exposure to disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the system strong.

QUEER CASE.

Law Office Broken Into at Paducah.

Paducah, Ky., March 10.—Burglars broke open the law office of Hon. John K. Hendrick and stole jewelry to the amount of \$1,000 from the safe, which was unlocked. The jewelry consisted of watches, rings and diamonds, and was the property of Mrs. H. T. Hession, and was left with the attorney as collateral security. Dr. H. T. Hession, the husband of Mrs. Hession, will now sue Mr. Hendrick and his partner, J. G. Miller, for the value of the jewelry.

Attacked by a Mob

and beaten, in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I use it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect. Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at R. C. Hardwick's drug store."

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ON FRIDAY

Handsome Flag Presented to Virginia Street School.

Nowhere will you find such generosity as has been shown by the children of the Virginia St. School, ever since it has been a school.

On Friday morning we had another demonstration, not only of their generosity but of their patriotism as well. Miss Alice Lander, the teacher of the Fourth Grade, and her pupils, presented a handsome flag to the Virginia Street School.

As future citizens of the town we anticipate for them everything that is loyal, and everything that goes to make up the highest type of citizenship.

Mr. Ford Wilkinson, in presenting the flag for his teachers and classmates, spoke as follows:

"I represent the Fourth Grade, which has the honor of presenting this flag to the Virginia Street School."

This flag of our country is our inspiration. It kindles in our hearts patriotic feelings, it carries our thoughts and our minds forward in the cause of liberty and right.

On sea and on land, wherever the star spangled banner waves, it thrills the heart of every American with pride.

"Tis the star spangled banner, oh, long may it wave,
O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave!"

On behalf of the teachers and pupils of the school, Mr. Ben Reynolds, president of the Washington Irving Society, replied:

"It is with pleasure that I attempt to give expression to the sincere appreciation and gratitude we feel in the bestowal upon us of this glorious emblem by our fellow students. It is an evidence of good will, comradeship and fraternity, and the feeling of good fellowship that already exists among us as students in our respective rooms, cannot but be increased and made more enduring by it."

It will be a daily inspiration to us as we pass under its broad, beautiful folds and consider all of the fame, heroism, honor and achievement that it represents.

When given its emblematic conception in the mind of a man, and wrought into a form of artistic beauty by a woman, and its sinuous stripes were first flung to the breezes of Heaven, it seemed that its first fluttering breath would be its dying gasp and the brightness of its stars only a fitful glimmer in the memory. But happily for us that first breath was the initial respiration of a giant and those few trembling stars have become the brightest galaxy in the firmament of nations. Less than a century ago a flag that was insulted with impunity by the cheap little monarch of a barbarous country but today an emblem with which only tempests sent from God himself dare to trifle.

How can we resist a thrill of pride in this, which is a personal heritage to each of us, when we think of all it stands for; civil and religious liberty, freedom of speech, progress, enlightenment, education and the highest and broadest civilization known to the world today.

Will it not spur us on to more strenuous efforts in our work when we reflect on these things and realize that all this is the result of individual citizenship and that it is for the possibilities—or even more—the obligations of this citizenship, that we are preparing ourselves? I think that we all realize that it will, and thus we are grateful, not merely for the gift itself and the kind feeling which prompted its donation, but also that such a happy and appropriate selection should have been made.

It is with great pleasure that I again say that we are deeply appreciative of these things and on behalf of the teachers and pupils of the Virginia Street School, I extend to you our heartiest and most sincere thanks.

ALLEN'S VICTIM DEAD.

His Slayer Will Have Examining Trial at Once.

Walter Hanks, who was shot by Marion Allen at White Plains on March 4, died from the effects of the wound. Allen had been under guard awaiting the result of the injury and will have his examining trial at once. Before dying Hanks made a statement before a notary public, in writing, to the effect that he was shot without cause.

A primary election will be held in Louisville April 25, to nominate a Democratic ticket.

Good Health to the Children

Children especially are fond of dainties, and the housekeeper must look carefully to their food.

As good cake can be made only with good eggs, so also a cake that is healthful as well as dainty must be raised with a pure and perfect baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder is indispensable in the preparation of the highest quality of food. It imparts that peculiar lightness, sweetness and flavor noticed in the finest cake, biscuit, doughnuts, crusts, etc., and what is more important, renders the food wholesome and agreeable to young and old.

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GRACEY GLEANINGS.

Spring School Began Yesterday—Skating Fever Breaks Out.

Gracey, Ky., March 15.—Rev. J. N. Strother preached at West Union Baptist church yesterday. He announced that he would begin a protracted meeting at Cadiz next Sunday, assisted by Rev. Mr. Acree, of Clarksville.

Mrs. Cornelia Chambers Libby will begin a spring subscription school to-day at the school house here. There has been some rivalry here and it was announced that Miss Witty, who lately taught the district school, would also begin one at the Presbyterian church, but this plan has been changed and Miss

Witty's school has not yet begun.

Mr. R. W. Roach, who lives near here in Trigg county, is a candidate for representative against Editor Henry Lawrence, Mr. Bridges, in another part of the county, is also in the triangular contest, which is growing exciting. The primary comes off April 1.

The roller skating fever has broken out afresh here and everybody is patronizing the skating rink.

Mr. E. T. Libby, who has lately returned from Missouri, will shortly go to South Carolina to locate a railroad stone crusher.

Buried at Casky.

Mariah Woodis, wife of John Woodis, col., died Saturday, after a brief illness of pneumonia. She was 60 years old. The interment took place at Casky Sunday.

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SENSATIONAL INDICTMENT RETURNED.

Grand Jury Accuses Shoe Merchant of Burning His Store.

OTHER INDICTMENTS.

Grand Jury Adjourned Saturday Afternoon.

The grand jury adjourned Saturday after returning 80 indictments. Of the last batch of 60, fifty were against the Standard Oil Company for peddling oil from an unlicensed wagon. Indictments of this character are being found against the Standard Oil Company in nearly every county in the State.

The grand jury sprung a genuine sensation by returning an indictment against W. H. Bickers for "burning a house on which there was insurance." Mr. Bickers is a shoe merchant whose store was burned Feb. 6 and the fire department found the back door open and evidence that a fire had been started in the cellar.

Mr. Bickers protests his innocence and claims to be able to prove that he was at home two hours before the fire occurred and that the glass in the rear was broken out and the door unlocked and the store fired by some enemy.

Mr. Bickers has been receiving threatening letters from some anonymous correspondent ever since last November and he will be able to show several of these letters, one of which was received Jan. 25, about ten days before the fire.

Mr. Bickers came here about two years ago to get out a special advertising edition of one of the local papers and remained and opened a shoe store a year ago in the Phoenix building. He brought with him a letter from a Baptist church in Memphis and united with the Baptist church here. He is also a member of the Knights of Pythias order. With his wife he has occupied rooms with Mr. W. A. Adecock, on Liberty street, and he claims to be able to show that he was at home by 9:20 o'clock on the night the fire occurred about 11:30.

Mrs. Bickers is a daughter of Hon. R. F. Comer, a wealthy citizen of Tompkinsville, who formerly represented Monroe county in the Legislature. Her brother, Joseph Comer, is a business man of Glasgow, Ky.

Mr. Bickers is represented by attorneys C. H. Bush and J. T. Hanberry and is demanding a speedy trial and says he is confident of acquittal.

WHO OWNS PEARL?

Court to Decide a Controversy of Interest.

Hamburg, March 13.—In the finder of a pearl in an oyster served in a restaurant entitled to it, or does it belong to the proprietor of the restaurant? The bench of the Superior Court here has taken the question under consideration. The facts as told in court are that a woman beginning her dinner at a restaurant with oysters, bit on something hard and took a pearl out of her mouth. She and her escort discussed its value, and finally before the dinner ended the latter took the pearl to the neighboring jeweler who offered him \$500 for it. The man refused to accept this amount and said the pearl was the property of a woman. The jeweler followed him to the restaurant and offered the woman \$750, which was also declined. The conversation attracted the proprietor's attention, he inquired into the circumstances, claimed the pearl, and the woman refused to give it up to him. The proprietor of the restaurant then brought suit against her, averring that the bones of fowls and shells by traditional custom are left by customers of a restaurant, and are a source of profit to the proprietor.

Henry N. Munn, editor of the Scientific American, died in New York Saturday.

LITTLE ONE ONE SLID SORE

Covered With Scales and Scabs From Head to Foot—Doctors and All Other Remedies Fail—Skin Now Smooth and Clear.

ANOTHER WONDERFUL CURE BY CUTICURA

Writing under date of Sept. 7, 1904, Mrs. Mattie Shaffer, of Cumberland, Miss., says: "Some time ago I ordered and received your wonderful Cuticura Remedies, with I used on my little afflicted babe with wonderful results. I had tried many other remedies without any benefit, what ever, and Cuticura came to the rescue when my doctors and all other remedies had failed. One doctor pronounced it scrofula, the other eczema. The little one was one solid sore, with scales and scabs from head to foot when I started using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The result was wonderful, and now my baby's face and body are smooth and clear."

(Signed) Mrs. Mattie Shaffer.

THE DUTY OF MOTHERS At the First Sign of Disfiguring Humors Is to Use Cuticura.

Every child born into the world with an inherited tendency to torturing, disfiguring humors, the Skin and Scalp, becomes an object of the most tender solicitude, not only because of its suffering, but because of the dreadful fear that the disfigurement is to be lifelong and mar its future happiness and prosperity. Hence it becomes the duty of mothers of such afflicted children to acquaint themselves with the best, the purest, and most effective treatment available, viz.: the Cuticura Treatment, consisting of warm baths with Cuticura Soap, and gentle applications with Cuticura Ointment, the great Skin Cure, Cures made in childhood are speedy, permanent, and economical.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are sold throughout the world. Price—50c. per box. "How to Use Disfiguring Humors."

They Kissed the "Co-Eds."

The sixty pretty "co-eds" who live in the ladies' boarding hall of the State University are in a state of sad demoralization, as the result of a mixup that occurred at the dinner hour. It originated in a grievance of the girls on the third floor against the matrons, because of special restrictions of their hours and privileges.

Tuesday at dinner the pretty matrons attacked the women faculty members, who sit one at each table in the dining room, and by main force took down the tables. The faculty women made desperate but futile resistance, and finally appealed to the young men students, who serve as waiters in the hall. These hesitated to engage in the combat, and while they waited the fighting girls turned on them and proceeded to tear off their neckwear and dishevel their hair. The young men, having been in training for the spring track events, took to the scrimmage kindly.

"Kiss every girl of 'em, kiss 'em all," was the cry that went up. It was echoed by every voice. At first the girls struggled violently, but the men were inspired to superhuman efforts.

"Let the mean things have their own way, then," came the formal capitulation from the leader of the insurgents.

The girls seemed strangely willing to take their punishment. Rumor, however, indignantly denied, says some of the younger faculty women got kissed in the melee, entirely by mistake, of course. Vermillion, S. D., telegram to the Kansas City Times.

Kentucky Weed in England.

The Cigarette World and Tobacco News, published in London, gives the figures of the board of trade returns for the United Kingdom for the last ten years on the amount of tobacco received in England. For 1904 the following are the figures on Kentucky tobacco: Stock, January 1, 1904, leaf 7,751 hogheads, strips, 43,538; imported in eleven months ending November 30, leaf 16,558, strips 4,282. Delivered in the same time, leaf 6,991, strips 17,544.

Tobacco Growers.

Having contracted with the Dark Tobacco Planters' Association, I desire to communicate with those who have tobacco to prize. Have fitted up a home at No. 62 East 4th St., near Consumers Ice Factory, with all modern improvements, employed competent and experienced men. Give all tobacco sent my personal attention. Liberal advances on tobacco in store.

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IOWAN IN PUBLIC EYE

WILLIAM HEPBURN ATTRACT-
ING MUCH ATTENTION.

National Lawmaker, by His Efforts
to Extend Power of Commerce Com-
mission, Has Brought Him-
self Into the Limelight.

Des Moines.—An account of his recent
efforts to obtain legislation designed
to augment and extend the power of the
interstate commerce commission. Repre-
sentative William Hepburn, of Iowa, chairman of the committee on in-
terstate and foreign commerce, is con-
spicuously before the people of the
United States.

Mr. Hepburn is one of the most inter-
esting men who have made readable
biography for themselves both within
and outside of the national congress.
For many years he has been the para-
grapher's legitimate prey, and his ready
wit and willingness to exploit it have
made him popular with newspaper men.
Like the other Iowa statesman, Senator
Allison, Mr. Hepburn is a native of Ohio,
having been born at Wellsville, Colum-
biana county, in 1832. When he was
eight years of age his mother and step-
father removed to Iowa, which at that
time had not arrived at the dignity of
statehood, and William proceeded at
once to grow up with the country.

The future congressman was of sturdy
ancestry, and the struggle for mere ex-
istence which faced him as a boy
pioneer was not uncomplainingly. His
paternal grandfather was of Scotch-
Irish extraction, that noble strain
which has given so many American
men and women to America. One great-
grandfather, who came as a boy from
Ireland, was member of congress from
Vermont, Kentucky and Iowa. He
though he changed his residence fre-
quently and settled in widely-separated
localities, his ability sent him to the
national legislature with unfailing regu-
larity. Another great-grandfather was



REPRESENTATIVE HEPBURN.
(IOWAN WHOSE ACTIVITY IN CONGRESS IS
MUCH TALKED OF.)

Martin Chittenden, the first governor of
Vermont.
Mr. Hepburn's father was Lieut. James
S. Hepburn, of the Second United States
artillery. The lieutenant was graduated
from West Point, having entered that
institution immediately after his reor-
ganization, about 1820. After his
graduation he was a principal in a sen-
sational duel with Robert J. Walker, af-
terward senator from Mississippi and
secretary of the treasury under Presi-
dent Polk. Walker was so severely
wounded in the encounter that he was
lame to the end of his life. The con-
sequence, however, did not prevent him
from having a notable career. Even
after he had retired from public life he
was an important figure in Kansas.

Lieut. Hepburn did not fare as well.
After the duel he left the army and be-
gan the study of medicine with the man
who became his father-in-law, Dr. Hiram
Cattell. He practiced medicine for
ten years in Illinois and made a good
reputation as a physician, but did not
prosper financially. In the summer of
1833 there was an epidemic of cholera in
the south, and Dr. Hepburn went with a
relief party to New Orleans, which was
devastated by the epidemic. He con-
tracted the disease and died. A few
months later Representative Hepburn
was born.

Three years after Dr. Hepburn's death
his widow was married to George S.
Hampton, of Kentucky, and five years
later they removed to Iowa and settled
on a government claim near City, which
was the capital of the territory.
At the age of 14, finding home life
irksome, young Hepburn resolved to
strike out for himself. He was influ-
enced in this decision by his desire to be-
come independent and not by any disagree-
ment with his stepfather, an excellent man
who became clerk of the Iowa supreme
court. William lived for a year with
Judge John F. Kinney, of Lee county, and
then he went into a printing office at
Iowa City and learned the trade.
After working for awhile as a compositor
Hepburn began the study of law in the
office of William Penn Clark, who be-
came subsequently a paymaster in the
United States army. In 1854 the young
lawyer went to Chicago, but remained
only a year, returning to Iowa City.
This period marked the beginning of the
young man's political career.

Letter as a Hunter.
An example of Joseph Leiter's prowess
as a hunter, which was witnessed a few
days ago in northern Wyoming, is re-
lated in a letter from one of the men who
accompanied Mr. Leiter on his hunting
trip. Mr. Leiter and a companion had
discovered a large bobcat on a branch of
a tree and circled around to get a shot
at the animal. Mr. Leiter crept in un-
der the branches of the tree to get a
good shot when there was a sudden col-
lapse of the tree and dead branches and
the bobcat fell down upon Mr. Leiter.
Mr. Leiter was thrown to the ground, but
immediately arose and saw the wildcat
about to spring upon him. Having lost
his gun, he seized a club and attacked
the animal. A struggle ensued, during
which the Chicago speculator was badly
scratched, but he killed the animal.

Advice to the Aged.

Age brings infirmities, such as stag-
gering bowels, weak kidneys and
stomach and TORPID LIVER.

Tutt's Pills

have a specific effect on these organs,
stimulating the bowels, causing blood
to perform their natural functions as
in youth and

IMPARTING VIGOR

to the kidneys, bladder and LIVER.
They are adapted to old and young.

IS LARGEST UNIVERSITY.

That of Berlin Has 7,774 Matricu-
lated Students According to
Year Book.

The year book of the University
of Berlin gives statistics which
show that this institution is the largest
in the world. The number of
matriculated students at present
attending lectures is 7,774. There are
only 835 divinity students in the
university. The faculty of law has
2,756 students, that of medi-
cine 1,111, and philosophy 3,572.
In addition to students from
every German state, the Berlin
university contains 413 Russians,
130 Austrians, 102 Swiss, 81 Hun-
garians, 39 British, 35 Roumanians,
25 Bulgarians, 24 French, and
smaller numbers from every other
European country, including Tur-
key and Montenegro. America
sends 123 students, Asiatic lands
37, Africa 8 and Australia 3.

In addition to the matriculated
students 1,330 persons have re-
ceived permission to attend the
lectures. It is curious to note that
the decline in the number of theo-
logical students is not confined to
Berlin university, but is observed
in every other German seat of
learning. This decline has been
so rapid in the last ten years as se-
riously to alarm the leaders of the
church. Since 1805 the decrease
has been nearly 50 per cent. Two
reasons are given for this: First,
the superior attractions offered by
commerce and industry since Ger-
many became a great manufacturing
country, and, secondly, the de-
cay of belief mainly owing to the
destructive criticism of the Bible
and religious dogmas by the pro-
fessors of the modern liberal
schools.

Cancer Cured by Blood Balm

All Skin and Blood Diseases
Cured.

Mrs. M. L. Adams, Fredonia, Ala.
took Botanic Blood Balm which effec-
tually cured an eating cancer, which
was on her nose and face. The sores healed
up perfectly. Many doctors had
given her up as hopeless. Hundreds
of cases of cancer, eating sores,
suppurating swellings, etc., have
been cured by Blood Balm. Among
others, Mrs. E. M. Guernsey, Warrenton
Stand, Ala. Her nose and lip were
raw as beef, with offensive discharge
from the eating sore. Doctors ad-
vised cutting, but it failed. Blood
Balm healed the sores, and Mrs.
Guernsey is as well as ever. Botanic
Blood Balm also cures eczema, itch-
ing humors, scabs and scales, bone
pain, ulcers, offensive pimples, blood
poison, carbuncles, scrofula, ring-
ings and bumps on the skin and all blood
troubles. Druggists, \$1 per large
bottle. Sample of Botanic Blood
Balm free and prepaid by writing
Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. De-
scribe trouble and special medical
advice sent in sealed letter, perma-
nent cure. At any drug store, 50
cents.

Six Russians, alleged to be revolu-
tionists, of Moscow, were arrested in
Marseilles, France.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine
Tablets. All druggists refund the
money if it fails to cure. E. W.
Grove's signature on each box. 25c.

Oliver Hopkins, head of one of
the oldest and most distinguished
families in Philadelphia, is dead.

Hives are a terrible torment to
the little folks, and to some older ones.
Dasily cured. Doan's Ointment
never fails. Instant relief, perma-
nent cure. At any drug store, 50
cents.

Dr. G. A. McCormick, a well
known physician of Jefferson Springs,
Ark., shot and killed J. M. Cantrell,
a prominent man of that place.

The big Crockett sugar refinery at
San Francisco has been bought by
the Hawaiian sugar combine.

Moses Levy, the well known Louis-
ville retail merchant, died this week
of acute indigestion.

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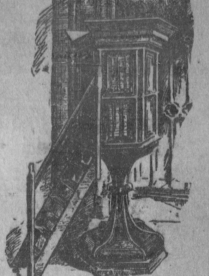
The Kind You Have Always Bought

OLD PULPIT IN THE ABBEY

Westminster Treasurer Wins-Glass
Booth Which Dates Further Back
Than Edward VI.

London.—Among its treasures West-
minster Abbey possesses one of the oldest
and most famous of English pulpits.
Until recently it stood in a somewhat
inconspicuous corner in the chapel of
King Henry VII, but now it has been
removed to the nave, where it is used at
Sunday evening services.

It has been called the wine glass pul-
pit, on account of its peculiar shape, and



WINE-GLASS PULPIT.
(Peculiarly Shaped Booth Being Used in
Religious Services.)

According to a story told by Tudor times,
it is covered with the beautiful paneling
technically known as linen molding, be-
cause it is carved so as to represent the
folds of a linen cloth.

According to an Abbey tradition,
which seems no reason to disbelieve,
this pulpit occupied a prominent
position at the coronation of Edward VI,
and Archbishop Cramer, who hap-
pened to be the god-parent of the young
monarch, is said to have delivered
his sermon on this occasion from the
wine glass pulpit.

Six years later it was his lot to use it
for a very different occasion. This was
the funeral of the king, on which occa-
sion the archbishop must have felt that
his own doom was sealed.

In a picture of the choir of the Abbey,
dating from the beginning of the reign
of Charles II, the pulpit is seen to be
there, or at any rate a pulpit closely re-
sembling it. Shortly after it was re-
placed by another of a more modern de-
sign.

The stone pulpit, which for more than
a generation past was a familiar object
to sightseers in the nave, handsome and
solid though it was, was together
out of harmony with its surroundings.
It has now disappeared, and has been
presented to the new cathedral of Bel-
fast.

NEW GOLF "PUTTER" IS OUT

Latest English Device Increases the
Accuracy of the Blow—Can Be
Varied to Suit.

London.—The latest English golfing
invention relates to golf clubs, particu-
larly to those of the "putter" type and
has for its object increasing the accu-
racy of the stroke. The face of the
club, which is a circular disc, is con-
structed has been made flat, but ac-
cording to this invention the club face
is concavely curved so that preferably
the face becomes part of a sphere. The
radius of the curve may vary in accord-

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BAD STOMACH

Attended with tainted, offensive, or foul
breath, bitter taste, especially in the
morning, turned tongue, sick or bilious
headaches, poor or irregular appetite,
stomach "water brash," constipation
with strong tendency to "the blues,"
or depression, are all cured and rad-
ically cured by the faithful use of Dr.
Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. No
man can be stronger than his stomach.
When it gets out of order he becomes bil-
ious, dyspeptic, hypochondriac, peevish
and "out of sorts." He feels languid,
tired and "all fagged out."

Nothing will more speedily or perma-
nently invigorate and tone into action,
than the active man Dr. Pierce's Golden
Medical Discovery. It is compounded
from the best of all medicinal plants,
without the use of alcohol, not a drop of
which enters into its composition. The
benefit felt from its use is not, therefore,
due to alcoholic exhilaration, and conse-
quently of short duration, but is endur-
ing and permanent.

The great majority of diseases which
their inception is a bad stomach, indig-
estion, biliousness and impure blood.
Among these diseases are deadly con-
sumption, nervous prostration and ex-
haustion, body-torturing rheumatism, in-
cessant neuralgia, encasing malaria,
and all manner of disfiguring blood
and skin diseases. Dr. Pierce's Golden
Medical Discovery is a cure for all these
diseases. It is not a cure-all, but cures
the diseases mentioned for the reason
that they are caused and aggravated by
the same disorders. It makes the ap-
petite, the digestion perfect, the liver
active, the blood pure and builds firm
muscles and nerves. Don't be
whipped by a penny-grabbing dealer into
taking something else said to be "just as
good" only that it may make a greater
profit. There's nothing "just as good"
as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.
It is the only medicine that has a re-
cord of cure extending over a third of
a century.

A Great Sufferer Cured.

Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.:
For six years my health has been better than it
has been for many years, and I owe it
to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery a debt

of gratitude. I was for several years troubled
with severe stomach trouble, indiges-
tion and nervousness. Could not eat any-
thing except the most nourishing and
easily digested food. My sick headaches were
very violent and I could not rest night or
day. I became emaciated and thoroughly
depressed, and at one time that I could
scarcely stand. I was so weak that I was
unable to get out of bed. I had been
told that I was "all fagged out" and
that I was "all fagged out" and that I was
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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. R. M. Woodbridge spent yesterday in Cadiz.

Miss Nell Donaldson has returned from a visit to friends in Pembroke.

Judge M. M. Graves, of Trenton, was here yesterday on business.

Miss Gladys Bartley closed her school at Pee Dee Friday and returned home yesterday.

Mr. W. H. Cummings, of New York, is here on a visit to his son, Mr. W. H. Cummings, Jr.

Mr. R. H. Wolf has gone to Guthrie, where he will represent a Nashville insurance company.

Mrs. John Feland has returned from a visit to relatives in Owensboro.

Mrs. Elizabeth Keegan, who spent several months in Florida, has returned home much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Bassett and children went to Leitchfield Sunday to visit Mr. Bassett's parents.

Mr. L. H. Wilkins and Miss Mabel Wade, of Elkton, visited relatives in the city Sunday.

Mr. Edgar Cayce and wife, returned to their home in Bowling Green yesterday, after a short visit in the city.

Mr. J. T. Wall returned Sunday night from New York, where he spent several weeks buying spring goods.

Mr. James Wolfe left Saturday night for Kansas City, Mo., where he has secured a good position.

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WHEAT—OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
May... 111	113½	109	113
July... 91½	93½	91½	93
CORN—			
May... 48½	49½	48½	49
July... 48½	49½	48½	49
OATS—			
May... 31½	31½	31½	31½
July... 31	31½	31	31½

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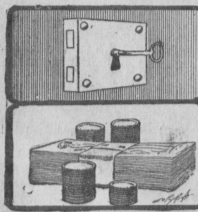
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ALL SERENE FROM ACTION AT GUTHRIE.

Executive Committee Wisely Puts all Markets on Same Footing.

CONCILIATORY SPIRIT.

All Day Session Held and Situation is Thoroughly Discussed and Harmonious Outcome.

The committee of business men who went to Guthrie Friday to confer with Col. Ewing and the Executive committee, succeeded in getting the rules governing the sale of Association tobacco changed and made entirely satisfactory.

Those who went were: R. E. Cooper, C. F. Jarrett, M. C. Forbes, J. E. McPherson, G. C. Long, W. H. Jewap, E. M. Plack and James West.

The following resolution was adopted:

That whereas: "It is the purpose of the Dark Tobacco Association to give equal recognition to the four regular established markets, viz: Clarksville, Hopkinsville, Mayfield and Paducah. "Therefore, be it resolved, That the types of all tobacco belonging to members of the association, when taken from prized hogheads that are contiguous to regular or established markets, the same to be stored and kept for final sale at those several markets, subject to the inspection and grading of the salesman of the Dark Tobacco Association, and to be sold by said salesman or his designated representative, but the sale and settlement must be made at the market to which the tobacco naturally belongs, or where it is sampled and stored.

"By this we do not wish to detract from the individual owner of said tobacco the right to exercise his own judgment and to ship to any of the above named markets his crop when prized for storage and sale, at his own discretion."

HANCOCK COUNTY

Thoroughly Aroused In the Anti-Trust Movement.

Hawesville, Ky., March 13.—With possibly one exception, the rally of the American Society of Equity Saturday was the most memorable demonstration ever made in Hancock county. That exception if such it was, was the occasion of the visit of William J. Bryan to this city during campaign of 1900. Hawesville awakened to-day to the realization, as never before, that Hancock county is solidly organized by the promoters of the equity plan. The crowd from the county in the city was estimated conservatively from 1,200 to 1,500, and the latter figure is the top notch given for the crowd here when Bryan spoke.

The drift of conversation here to-day demonstrated that Hancock county farmers are standing together on the tobacco question in almost solid rank. Very little of the tobacco has been taken from the barns, but it is rapidly being prepared. Everyone seems determined to stand by the Equity society and wait for the Lynchburg prices, and so far the breaks in the forces have been few.

WHAT EWING SAYS.

Buyers are Ready as Soon as Tobacco is Priced.

Elkton, Ky., March 11.—Executive Chairman Ewing, of the Dark Tobacco Planters' Association, says 70,000,000 pounds have been already pledged, and he has propositions from money centers to take it as soon as ready for the market. Rally meetings were held in the interest of planters last night at Trenton, and today at Elkton.

Rural Route For Cerulean.
A rural route has been ordered established April 15 out of Cerulean Springs. It will be route No. 1, Population served, 631, houses, 118.

VIRGINIA SCHOOL.

Program for Washington Irving Society, March 17.

1. Quotation—"Little minds are tamed and subdued by misfortune, but great ones rise above it."—Irving—Society.

2. Debate—Resolved: "That the white men were right in taking by force the land of the Indians." Affirmative: Jack Wilkinson, F. Blakely, Frank P. Graves, J. W. Cavanaugh, P. M. Boyd.

Negative: Ray Broadus, Willie De Treville.

3. Instrumental solo—Mamie Davis.

4. Selections from Lowell—William Harrison.

5. Recitation, Holmes—Charles Jarrett.

6. Biographical sketch, Whittier—Jennie Hill.

7. Instrumental solo—Vera Randle.

8. Recitation—"Yousouff," Lowell—Martha Kelly.

9. Song—"The Chipmunk"—Society.

AT SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Attendance at the Various Schools March 12.

Baptist.....	241
Methodist.....	226
Christian.....	182
Ninth St. Presbyterian.....	120
Cumberland.....	88
First.....	58
Episcopal.....	45
Universalist.....	34
Total.....	992

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HERE AND THERE.

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Now is the time to sack your hams. Sacks for sale at this office. Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

A little child of Mr. James Morris, who resides on Fifth street, died Friday of whooping cough.

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Women's Health Beauty Secrets. Men's Imaginary Troubles. Books 25¢ each. T. Prognits Co., Dept. O, Evansville, Ind.

VERDICT IS LOOKED FOR TO-DAY.

Meriwether's Defense a General Denial of Everything.

NO ALIBI PROVEN.

Moseley Sticks to His Story That Meriwether Did the Killing.

Two changes were made in the jury to try Frank Meriwether after it was made up as reported in Saturday's Kentuckian. The jury is as follows:

James Cooper, I. H. Wicks, R. S. Cain, J. W. Stiller, C. H. King, B. P. Craven, R. E. Hill, A. E. Word, E. P. Blakely, Frank P. Graves, J. W. Cavanaugh, P. M. Boyd.

The same witnesses who testified against the others were introduced by the prosecution, except that Chas. Finch, since his own conviction, refused to testify against Meriwether. Ed Moseley repeated his story and stated positively that Meriwether was the man who struck the fatal blow with the axe handle.

Meriwether's defense was a general denial, though he made no attempt to prove an alibi. He said he was not with the men who killed the stranger, had no knowledge of the crime in any way and did not even hear of it until three days after it occurred. He swore he was at home all that night with his wife and child. He says he was in Pembroke Saturday preceding the killing but saw none of the men accused. He said he got the blood on his clothing while hunting rabbits a few days before. His denials were so sweeping that he overdid the thing, and produced no evidence to corroborate his own story.

The case was argued yesterday by Robt. Lander for the defense and Judge Breathitt for the commonwealth and submitted to the jury at noon.

Other Cases.

Tom Murray vs. L. & N. railroad company, dismissed and stricken from docket. The action of Monroe Dulin against the same company was also stricken.

In the case of Will Payne, indicted for obtaining money, etc., the indictment was ordered dismissed at the September term, with leave to resubmit at the February term, which was done, and the grand jury by its foreman returned the paper in open court, endorsed, "examined, no evidence found, B. C. Foster, foreman." The prosecution was then dismissed.

The case against Mack Hern, who is charged with murder, was called yesterday afternoon and the work of impaneling a jury was begun. Hern shot and killed his father, J. J. Hern, here on the night of July 4 last. The trial will likely consume several days.

AT BOWLING GREEN

New Rule Put Into Effect by Board of Education.

The Board of Education of Bowling Green has ordered that after the present term no teacher should be employed that has passed the age of fifty years. The entire corps of teachers has been composed of females, with the exception of the Superintendent. In the future one male teacher will be employed at each school building.

Those desiring life insurance will find it to their interest to investigate the plans and record of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, of Newark, N. J. No stockholders. All profits divided among policy holders. It is conspicuous for economical management, liberality of its policy contract, fair dealing with its members and large annual dividends to reduce cost of your insurance. Wallace & Moore, Agents.

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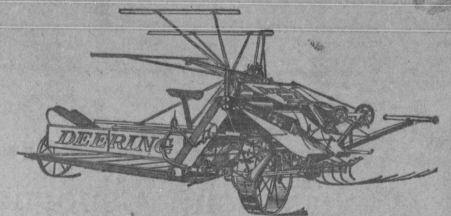
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